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RESPONSE TO JANUARY 6, 2006 OFFICIAL ACTION

Sir/Madam:

This response is submitted in response to the Official Action of January 6, 2006.

A petition for a one-month extension of time is filed herewith. If any further extension of time for the accompanying response or submission is required, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor. No fee is believed due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, which may be required, or credit any refund, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

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